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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$520.
 - \$360 for 20 total claims over 20.
 - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1360.

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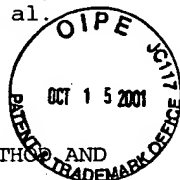
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Applicant(s): Martin James WALKER, et al.
Serial No.: 09/878,720
Filed: June 11, 2001
For: "BUSINESS INNOVATION METHOD AND SYSTEM"
Group Art Unit: 2161
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Date of this paper: October 8, 2001



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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

Responsive to office letter dated 08/07/2001 (copy attached).

DECLARATION OR OATH

- ☒ Please find enclosed the Declaration/Power signed by inventor Adrian Stock.
- ☒ Please find enclosed the Declaration/Power signed by inventors Martin James WALKER, Ray Giles, Christopher Geary, Christopher Wood, Robert Kitchen, Dag Tungvaag, and Christopher Corcoran.
- ☒ Please find enclosed a Notice Regarding Correct Names of Inventors
- ☒ Please find enclosed a revised New Application Transmittal Letter listing the correct names of the inventors and a copy of the original New Application Transmittal Letter as filed on June 11, 2001.

AMENDMENT OF CLAIMS

- ☐ Please cancel claims _____ inclusive
- ☐ Please find enclosed an amendment deleting multiple dependencies

NOTE: The filing fees, fees for and surcharge fees listed below are reduced by 50% where proof of a small entity status is established on or before the date the fee is paid. If the full fee is paid but a verified statement is filed within two months of the date of payment of the first fee then the excess fee paid will be refunded on request. Notice of January 20, 1983. 1027 TMOG 114.

FEES

- ☒ Filing fee (37 CFR 1.16(a) - 710.00) \$710.00
(small entity - 355.00)
- ☒ Fees for claims
 - ☒ 2 Independent claims in excess of 3
(37 CFR 1.16(b) - 80.00) \$160.00
(small entity - 40.00)
 - ☒ 20 Claims in excess of 20
(37 CFR 1.16(c) - 18.00) \$360.00
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Completion of Filing Requirements (Page 1 of 2)

☐ Multiple dependent claim(s)
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(37 CFR 1.21(h) (i) 40.00)

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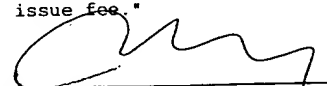
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☒ 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees and presentation of extra claims)

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Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b)).

NOTE: 37 CFR 1.28(b) requires "Notification of any change in status resulting in
loss of entitlement to small entity status must be filed in the
application... prior to paying... issue fee."


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NOTICE REGARDING CORRECT NAMES OF INVENTORS

The papers for this application were submitted on June 11, 2001.

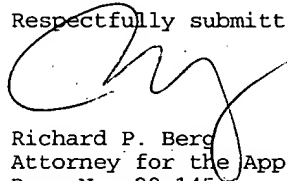
At the time of the original submission, the seventh inventor, Dag Tungvaag, was incorrectly listed on the New Application Transmittal Letter as Dag Tungvåg.

As set forth in the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney forms filed concurrently herewith and the enclosed revised New Application Transmittal Letter, the inventors for this application should be listed as:

(1) Martin James WALKER	(2) Ray Giles
(3) Christopher Geary	(4) Christopher Wood
(5) Adrian Stock	(6) Robert Kitchen
(7) Dag Tungvaag	(8) Christopher Corcoran.

The misspelling of inventor Dag Tungvaag in the original application papers was a clerical error. A copy of the original New Application Transmittal Letter as filed on June 11, 2001 is also enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,


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Enclosure: Revised New Application Transmittal Letter (3 pages)
copy of original New Application Transmittal Letter as filed on
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